

Amendments to the Specification

Please insert the enclosed Sequence Listing immediately after the section of the specification entitled "Abstract of Disclosure."

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 8 with the following:

The present application is a divisional of U.S. application Serial No. 09/280,597, filed March 29, 1999, which was a divisional application of Serial No. 08/448,288, filed May 23, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,888,794, which was a divisional application of Serial No. 08/015,985, filed February 10, 1993, now U.S. Patent No. 5,538,886, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. application Serial No. 07/654,188, ~~filed February 26, 1991, now abandoned,~~ which was a continuation-in-part of U.S. application Serial No. 07/551,270, ~~filed July 11, 1990,~~ now abandoned. The entire contents of ~~both~~ of the above applications are hereby incorporated by reference.